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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A shield for protecting a law enforcement officer at vehicle stops and comprising:

a first member including substantially planar front and rear surfaces and an edge portion integral therewith and disposed substantially proximal to a center of said shield, said edge portion being corrugated and having a plurality of altering crests and troughs formed therealong, said plurality of crests including a plurality of apertures formed therein and aligned with each other along said edge portion;

a second member including substantially planar front and rear surfaces and an edge portion engageable with said edge portion of said first member, said edge portion of said second member being corrugated and having a plurality of altering crests and troughs engaged with corresponding ones of said plurality of crests and troughs of said first member, said plurality of crests of said second member including a plurality of apertures formed therein and aligned with each other and with said plurality of apertures of said first member;

an elongated pin positioned through said plurality of apertures of said first and second members for maintaining same pivotally engaged with each other so that said shield can be adapted between altering positions;

a collapsible arm brace connected to said first member and extending rearwardly therefrom, said arm brace for receiving an arm of a user therethrough for supporting said first member; and

a hand bar connected to said second member and extending rearwardly therefrom, said hand bar engageable by an operator for supporting said second member[.];

one of a clip and a Velcro patch affixed to said second member; and

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a firearm holster removably connected thereto and adjacent said hand bar.

2. (canceled)

3. (canceled)

4. (original) The shield of claim 1, wherein said first and second members further comprise:

a plurality of layers formed from bullet proof material and being secured to each other.

5. (original) The shield of claim 1, wherein said first member has a generally triangular shape and said second member has a generally rectangular shape.

Please cancel claims 6 – 12.